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Dear Sir:

This petition is provided to request the revocation of a Notice of Abandonment in the above-identified application. Following many conversations with personnel at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Applicant has been advised by Mr. Tom Hawkins of the U.S. Patent Publication Department, to file this petition to revoke the Notice of Abandonment that was mailed on December 19, 2003 in the above-identified patent application, such that this application will be issued.

The following circumstances warrant the revocation of the Notice of Abandonment. Applicant first contacted the Examiner on January 26, 2004 to inquire why a Notice of Abandonment was issued. The Examiner stated that satisfactory drawings had not been submitted in the application. Applicant advised the Examiner that the drawings were submitted on August 23, 2003. The Examiner indicated she would investigate and advise us appropriately. On January 28, 2004, Examiner contacted Applicant and advised that the Notice of Abandonment was sent in error, and that it would be revoked as the error was the fault of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Further, the Examiner requested that the drawings previously submitted be faxed to her. As shown by the attached Exhibit A, the drawings were faxed to the Examiner on 18 February 2004, and in addition as shown in Exhibit B, the entire submission of August 23, 2003 was also mailed to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on 9 February 2004.

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However, it recently came to Applicant's attention that the Notice of Abandonment still has not been revoked. As such, several telephone calls were made to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office between 14 October 2005 and 14 November 2005, with no results. On November 14, 2005, Applicant contacted Mr. Tom Hawkins in the U.S. Patent Publication Department. He indicated that if the Examiner agreed to revoke the Notice of Abandonment, then a Petition under 37 CFR 1.181 should be sent directly to the Examiner, and the Examiner can proceed with a revocation of the Notice of Abandonment.

Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests revocation of the Notice of Abandonment in the above-identified patent application and that the above-identified application be permitted to issue.

As this petition is being submitted as a result of an error on the part of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Applicant believes no fees are due at this time. However, in the event a fee is due, please charge any fees to Account No. 13-4895.

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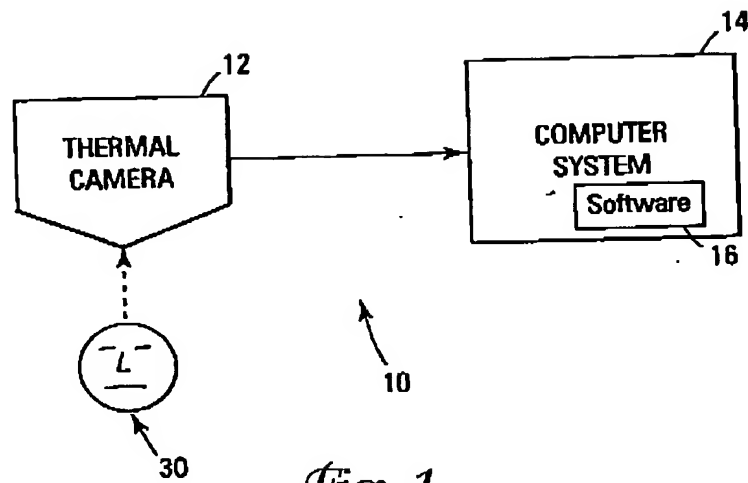
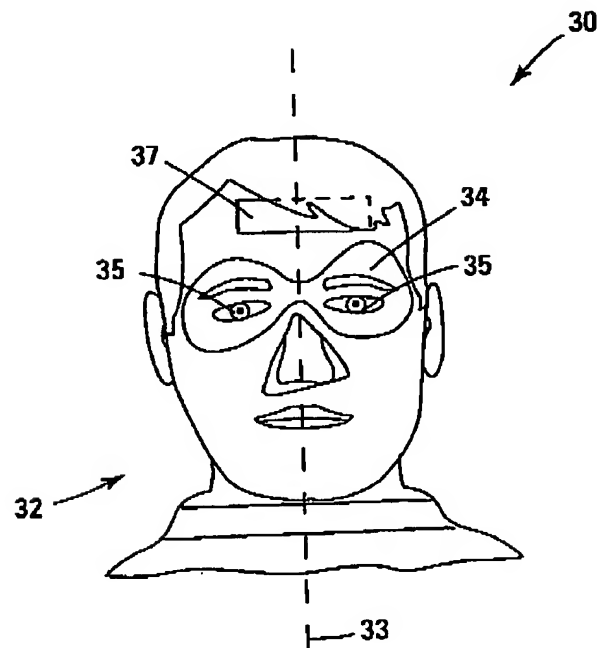
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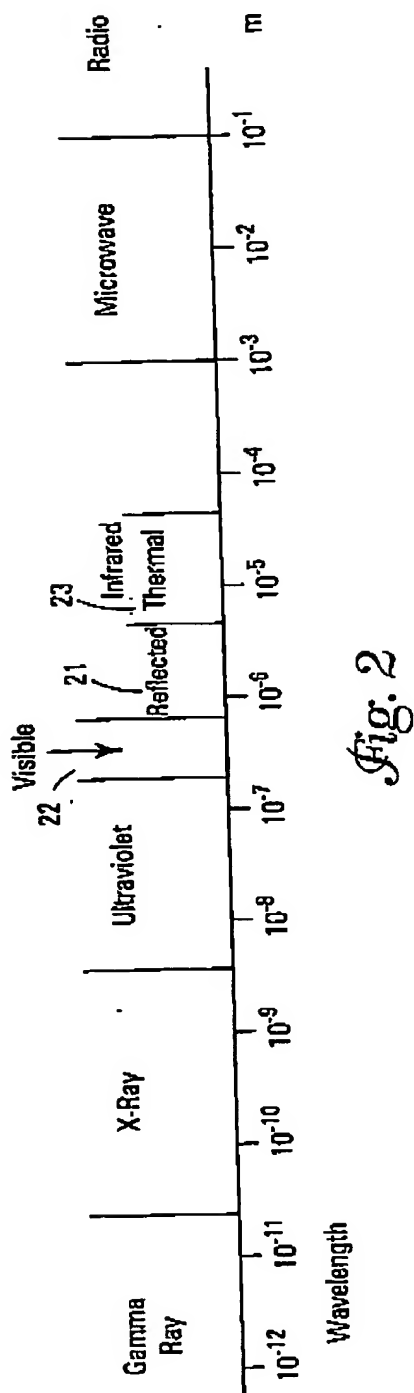
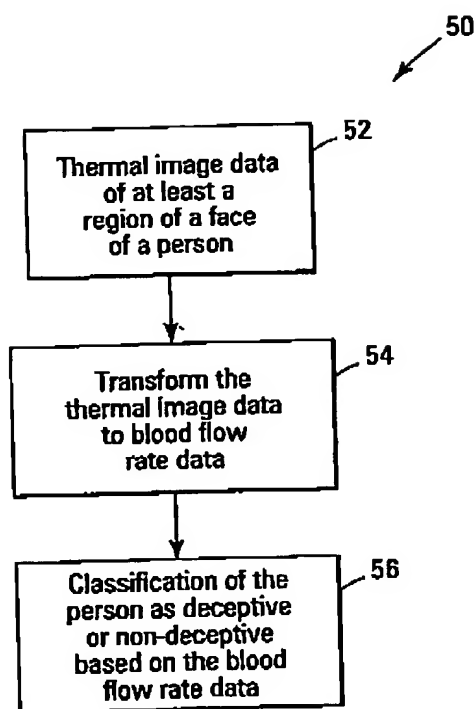
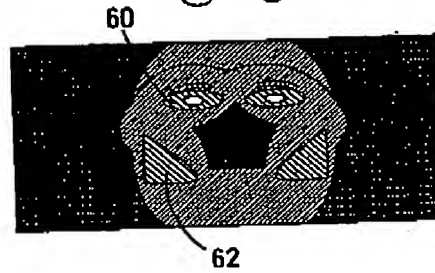
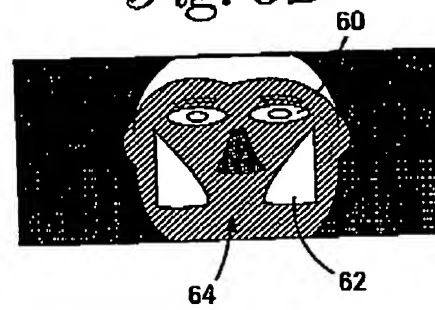


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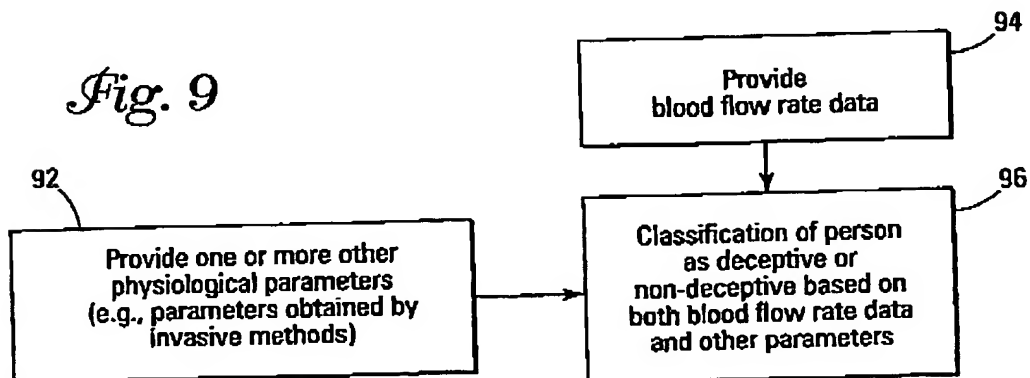
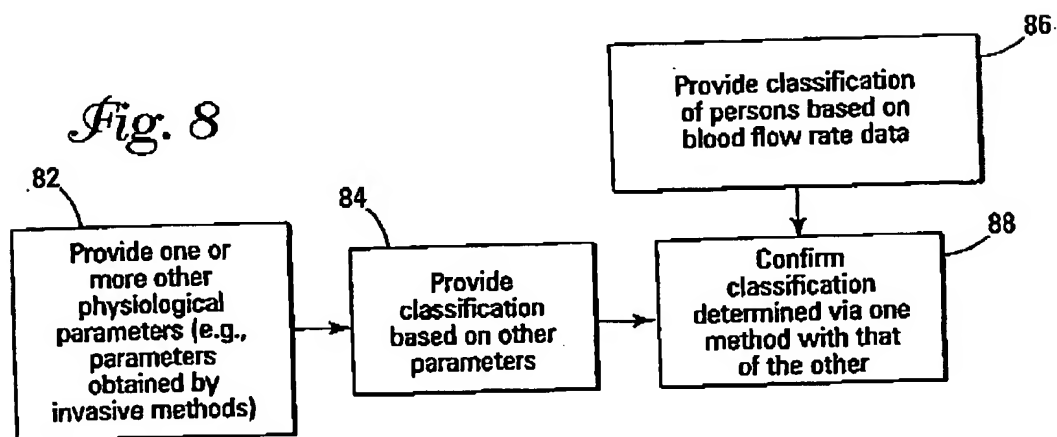
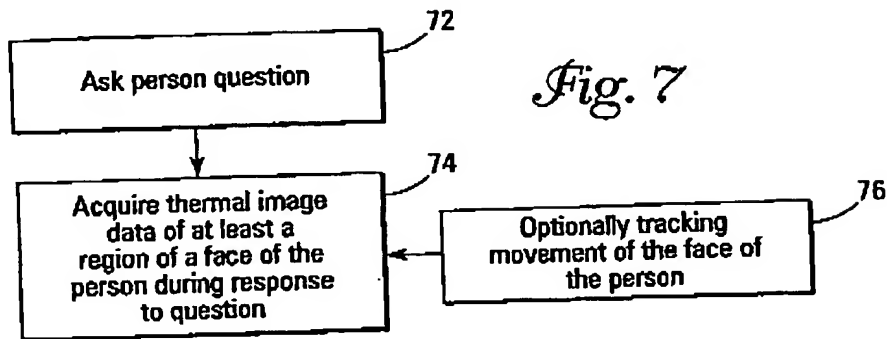
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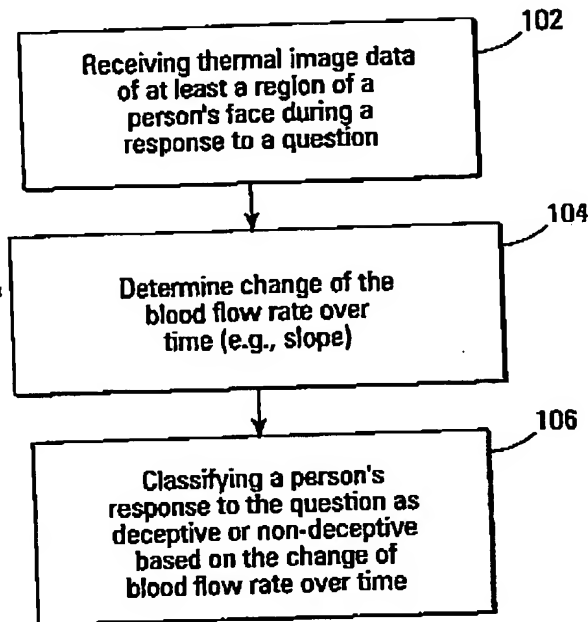
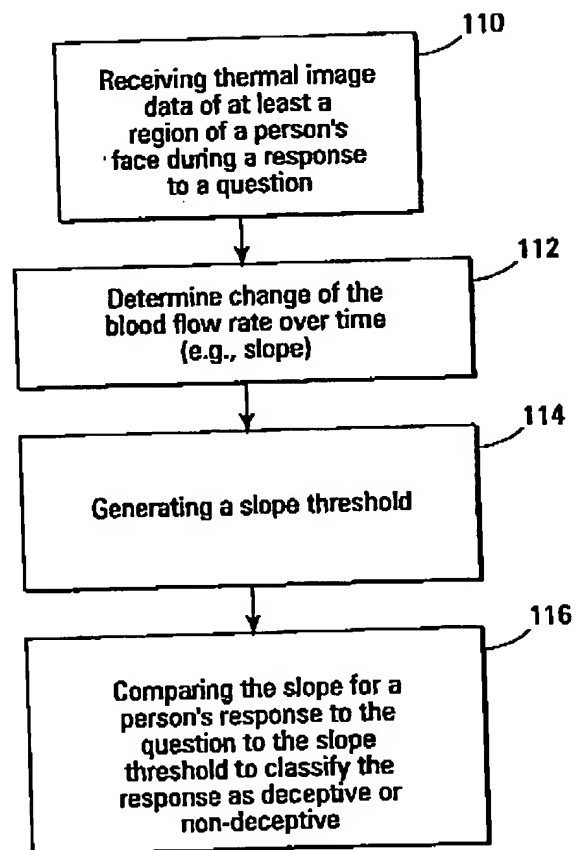
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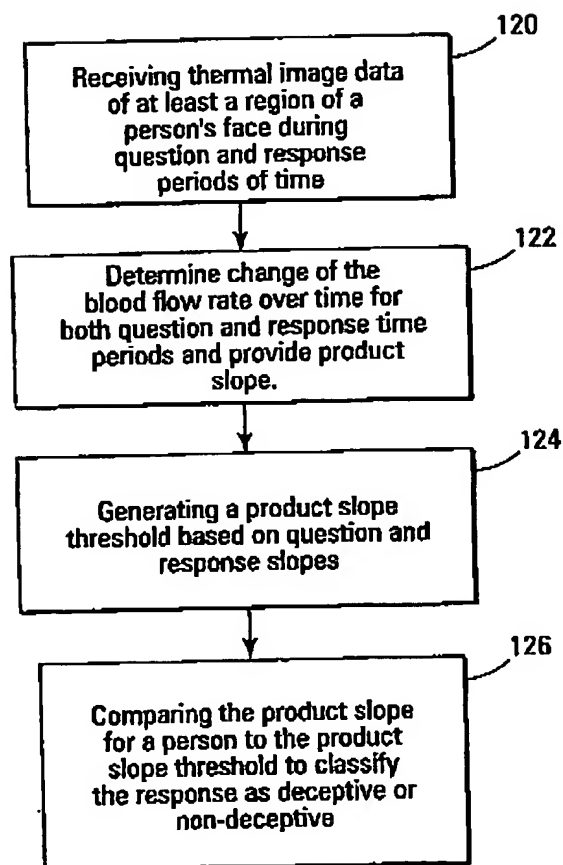
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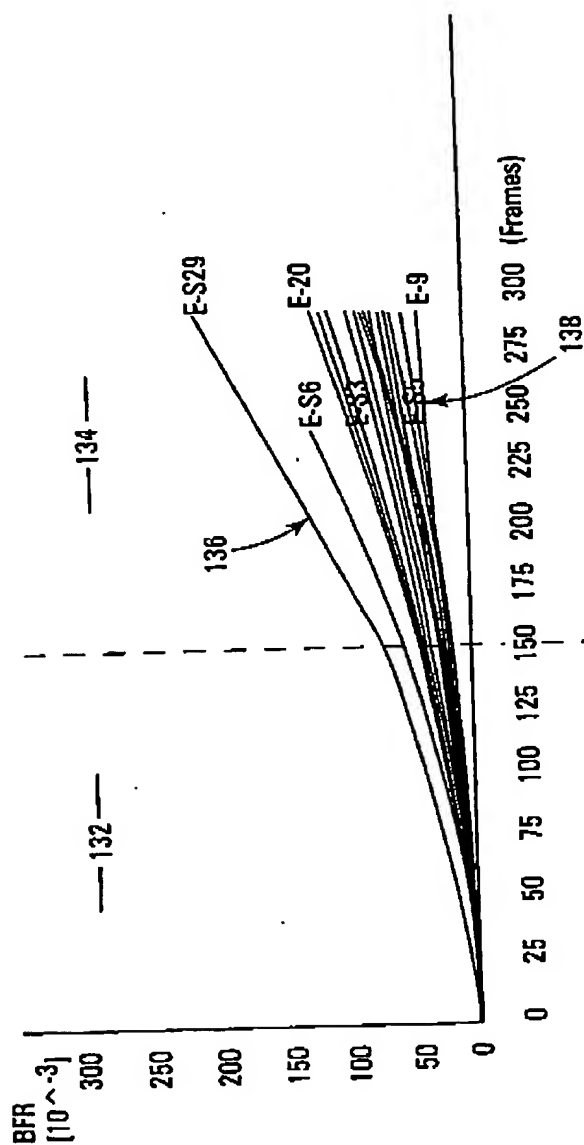


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Enclosed: Submission of Drawings (1 pg.), eight sheets of drawings; and
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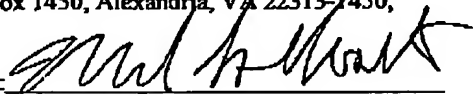
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Attached please find eight sheets of Drawings for the above-identified patent application. Please contact the undersigned attorney if you have any questions.

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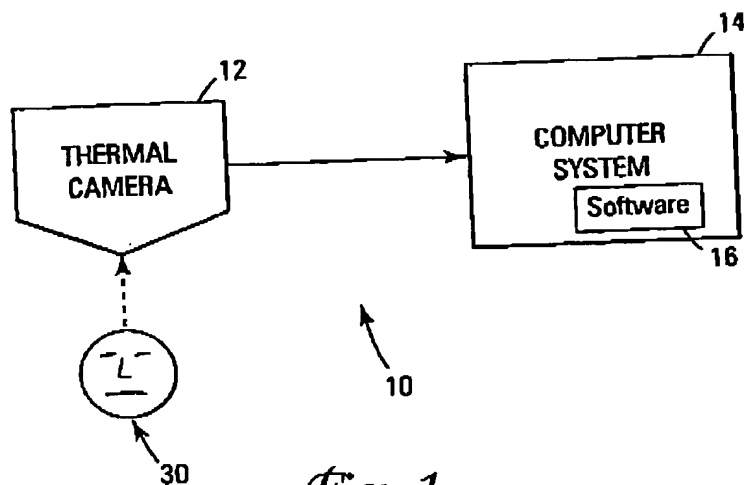
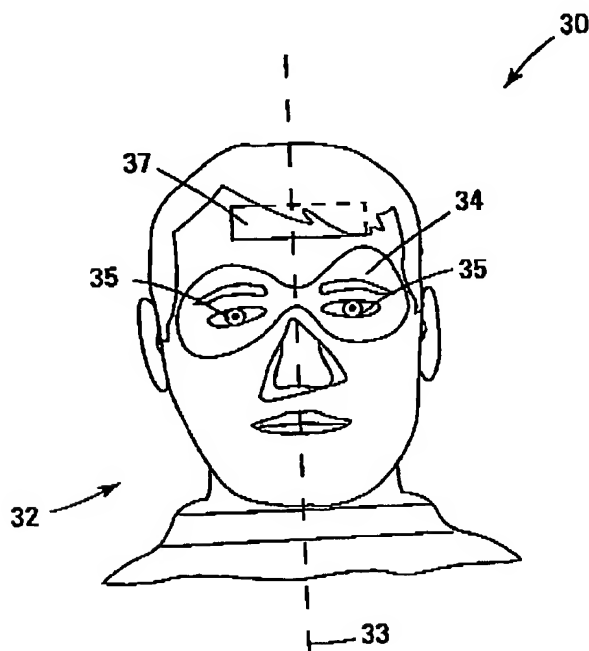
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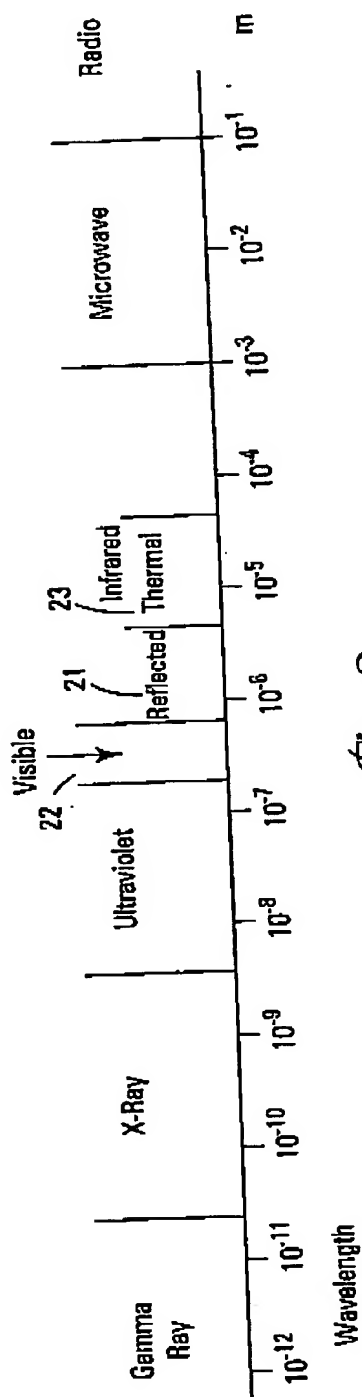
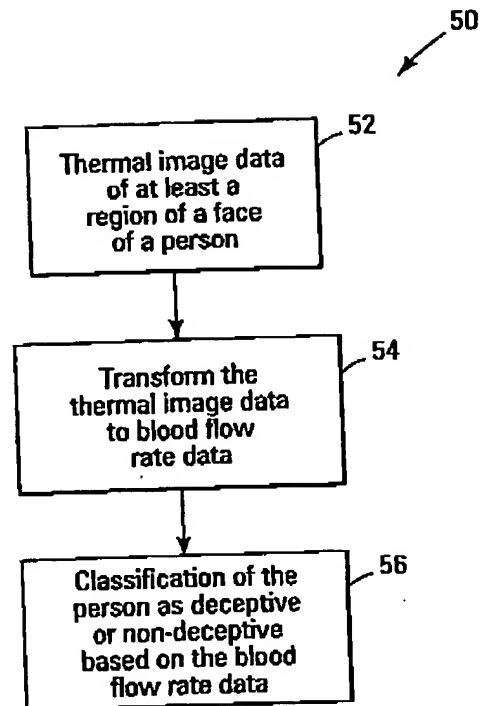
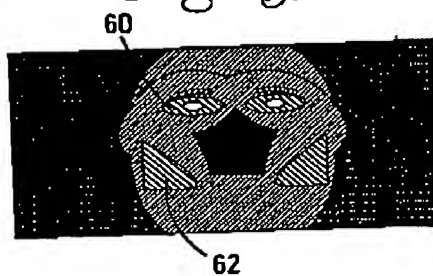
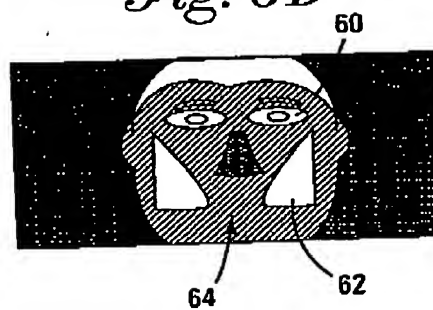


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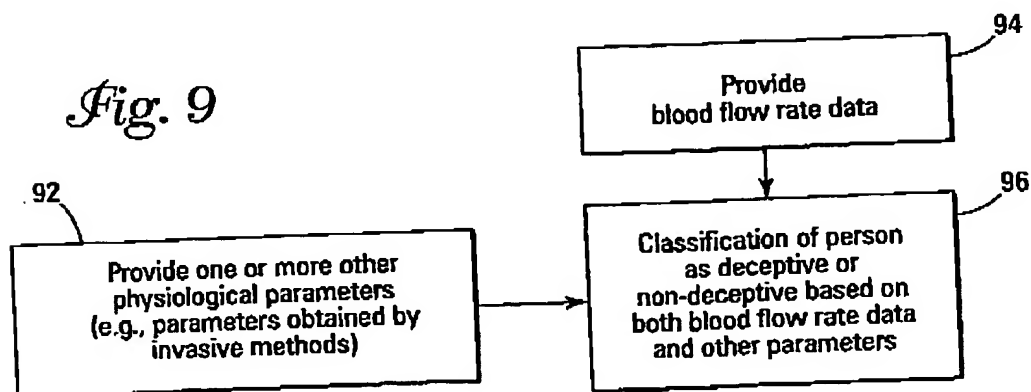
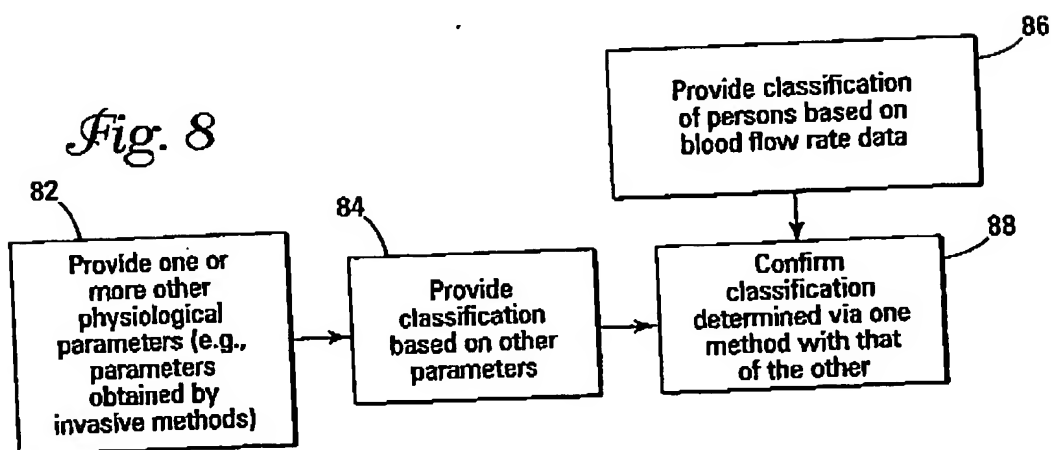
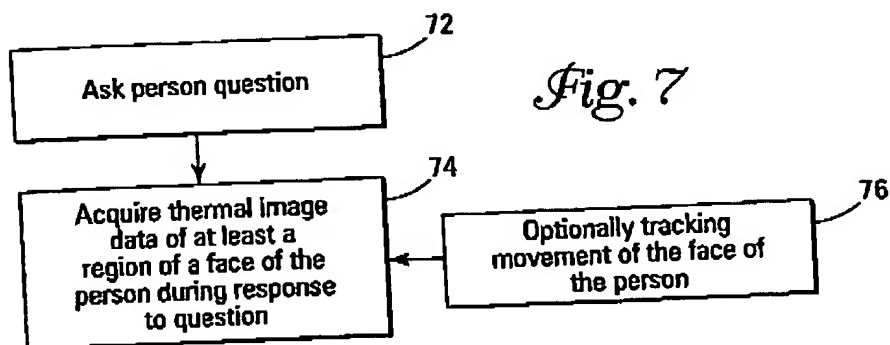
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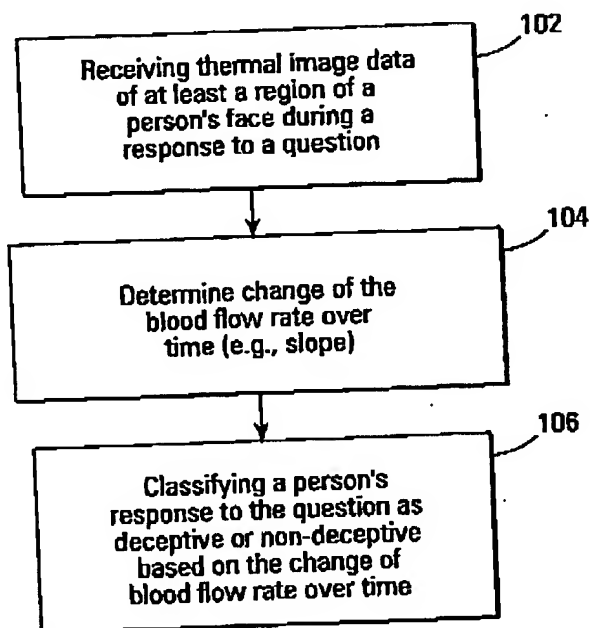
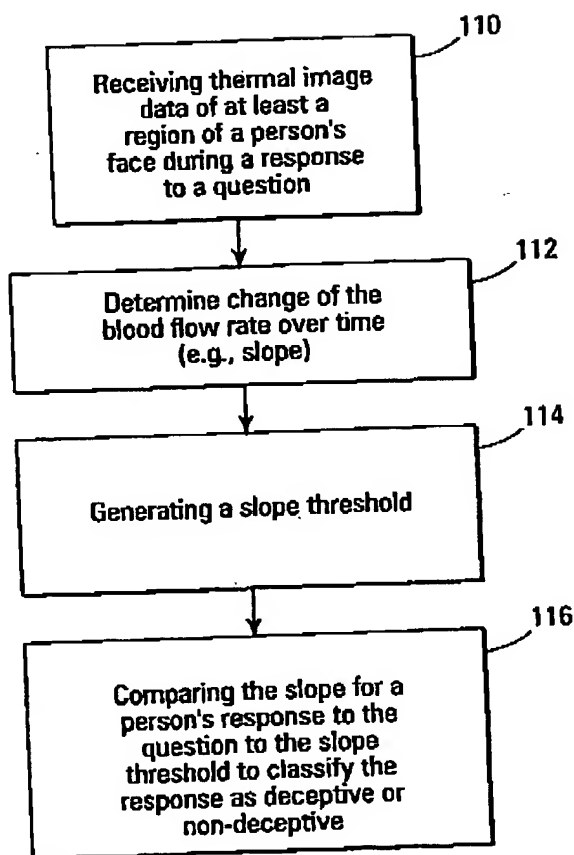
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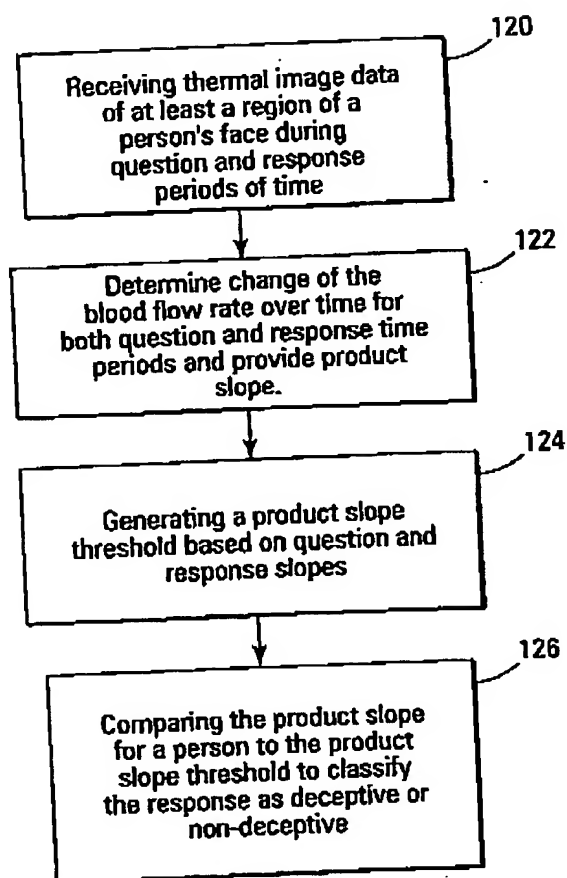
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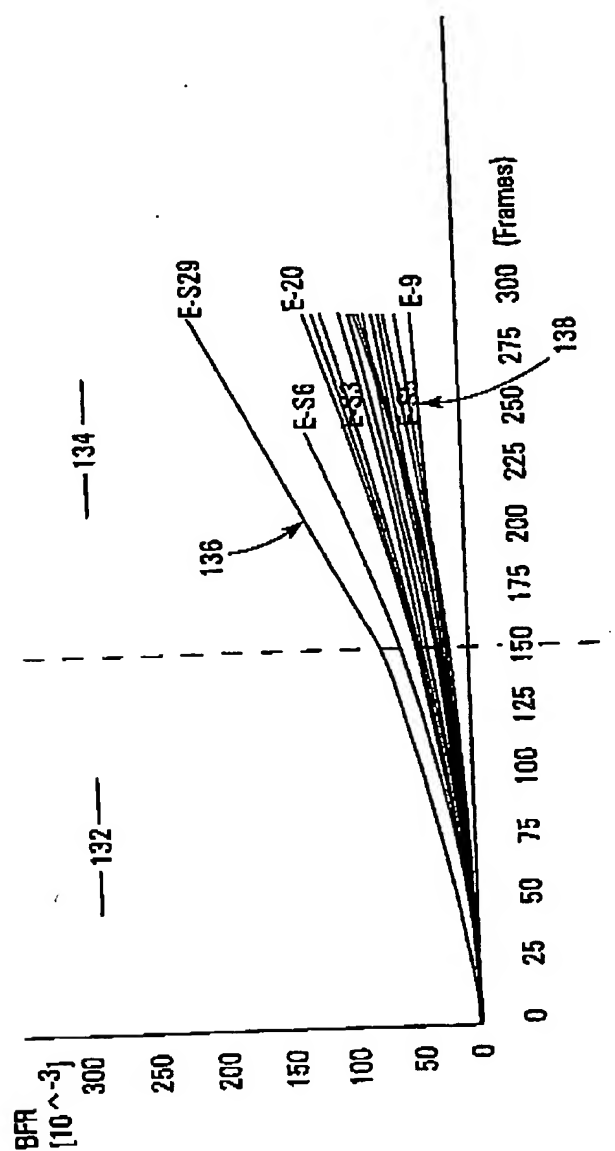


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